



ow it came about in those days that a decree went out from Caesar Augustus, that a census be taken of all the inhabited earth. This was the first census taken while Quirinius was governor of Syria. And all were proceeding to register for the census, everyone to his own city.

And Joseph also went up from Galilee, from the city of Nazareth, to Judea, to the city of David, which is called Bethlehem, because he was of the house and family of David. And he was staying with Mary, who was engaged to him, and was with child. And it came about that while they were there, the days were completed for her to give birth. And she gave birth to her first-born son; and she wrapped Him in cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.



And in the same region there were some shepherds staying out in the fields, and keeping watch over their flock by night. And an angel of the Lord suddenly stood before them, and the glory of the Lord shone around them; and they were terribly frightened. And the angel said to them, "Do not be afraid; for I bring you good news of great joy which shall be for all the people; for today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord."

"And this will be a sign for you: you will find a baby wrapped in cloths, and lying in a manger."

And suddenly there appeared with the angel a multitude of the heavenly hosts, praising God, and saying, "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace among men with whom He is pleased."

Luke 2:1-14

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## GC business picking up

By SUSAN SIGNAGO-WEICH  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Business in the city is picking up.

Since mid-October, 12 new businesses have opened up shop, with three of them located in the downtown area.

RC Bush, executive vice president of the Tri-Cities' Area Chamber of Commerce, said he's pleased with the increase.

"IT'S A RISK to go into business for yourself today," he said. "This

increase illustrates the confidence people have in the community."

Bush said the gain in businesses does not reflect any new push by the city or Chamber.

"We've been constantly trying to keep our business community looking out our opportunities," he said.

"I think what's especially significant about the figures is that one-fourth of the businesses opened up downtown, where we really need it."

Mayor Von Dee Cruse said the number of businesses opening up is encouraging.

"EVEN THOUGH most of the new businesses are small, they are employing people," he said.

The future of the city is looking even better with the prospect of Eticam Inc. moving to the city, he said. The move would mean 100 to 225 immediate jobs.

"I think this proves we're not a dying town," he said. "We're starting to change our image."

NEW BUSINESSES opening since Oct. 17 include: Stained Glass Connection, 4037 Sara St.; Dr. King Contractors, 1600 Bremen Ave.

D.C., 1509 23rd St.; J.C. Penney Catalog Sales Center, 3801 Nameoki Road; The Medicine Shoppe, 3675 Nameoki Road; The Clothes Tree, 1235 19th St.; A Taste of Italy, 2624 Washington Ave.;

Movie Mania, 3059 Iowa St.; Past and Present Corvettes, 4150 Nameoki Road; Barber and Associates, 2600 Nameoki Road; Nails by Elizabeth, 1206 Niedringhaus Ave.; Home Spin Gift and Custom Fram Shop, 1312 19th St., and R.C. Window Contractors, 1600 Bremen Ave.



**READY AND WILLING** to give blood once again are Hazel Murphy and Bob Braundmeier. She received her 10-gallon pin from the Red Cross in July for giving her 80th pint and he has donated in excess of 5 gallons. The Church Women United are sponsoring a blood drive Thursday and Friday at St. Elizabeth School.

(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

## They bring blood to those in need

By PATRICK FOLEY  
Staff writer

Church Women United can count on at least two people to show up to donate blood during their two-day drive Thursday and Friday.

Hazel Murphy and Bob Braundmeier will be at the St. Elizabeth School cafeteria one of the days to spend less than an hour of their time to give a pint.

**BOTH OF THEM** feel it's the least they can do to help save another person's life. And that's just what giving blood can and does do every day.

The problem of critically-low blood supplies in the St. Louis area is even more pronounced during the holiday season because of the rise in traffic accidents, dramatically increasing the need for blood.

The American Red Cross Bi-State Chapter's blood services office administers the regional blood program, which supplies 140 hospitals in 80 counties surrounding St. Louis.

**THE RED CROSS** needs to collect 1,000 units, or pints, of blood each day to meet the regular needs of these hospitals. And the holiday season adds to the demand, already stretched by additional organ transplant operations being performed in this area.

Mrs. Murphy, 68, must now receive special permission from her doctor to give blood because of her age, but she has already given more blood than most donors do in their lifetimes.

On July 8 she received her 10-gallon pin when she gave her 80th pint of blood.

Braundmeier is not far behind. He has given more than 5 gallons of blood and began giving and is now involved in another type of blood donation.

**HE IS A PARTICIPANT** in the phoresis program at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis on a regular basis.

When his particular type is needed by a leukemia patient, there, Braundmeier is hooked up to a computerized machine that extracts blood from one of his arms, removes the needed platelets from his blood, and returns his blood through his other arm.

The process takes about 1½ hours to complete, but Braundmeier doesn't mind the time.

**THE PLATELETS** are needed for transfusion into the waiting leukemia patient to help control coagulation of the recipient's own blood. Braundmeier's platelets must be given to the patient within 24 hours.

Murphy has been giving blood since World War II and says she'll continue until her doctor advises otherwise. "These over the age of 66 must have their doctor's written consent before they are allowed to give blood."

"I started during the war in the blood drives where I worked. I did the recruitment (of blood donors) in the office, so I brought it better volunteer, too," she said.

Neither has had any bad experiences giving blood, though Mrs. Murphy has been turned down on occasion.

(See DRIVE, Page 4A)

## County Board approves bid for work on East 23rd Street

By SUSANNE INDELICATO  
Staff writer

MADISON COUNTY — C.D. Peters' Construction Co. of Granite City submitted the low bid to widen and resurface East 23rd Street from

Monroe Avenue to Nameoki Road. Peters' bid of \$548,646 was the lowest of four received.

The Madison County Board voted Dec. 18 to award the contract to C.D. Peters. The bid has been approved by the Illinois Department of

Transportation and is below an engineer's estimate, it was noted.

Other highway improvements,atters coming before the board included the long-term plan of highway improvements for a five-year period beginning Jan. 1, 1986. Local pro-

jects in the plan include the following:

• Oldenberg Bridge over Cahokia diversion channel, Chouteau Township.

• Signal lights on Mockingbird.

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### Deaths

Walter Bauer  
George Biggs  
George Hadaller  
Viva Manes  
Evelyn Smith  
Richard Stengel

### 50 Years Ago

(From our files,  
Thursday Dec. 26, 1935)

The Tri-Cities area was blessed with a white, fluffy Christmas yesterday. There was snow on the ground and near-zero weather. Christmas callers were sharply on the move. A dozen or more groups of carolers toured the city, singing on sidewalks and front lawns.

### Inserts

Walgreen  
Sears  
K-Mart  
Venture  
Kroger



**Food**  
**SWEET BREADS** at holiday time are an old tradition enjoying new style when shaped to fit the season. See page 1B.

# Comment

## Bullet-proof vest valued

### Part I of II

On the night of Dec. 22, 1980, the emergency room at UCLA School of Medicine awaited the arrival of an ambulance.

Paramedics had radioed they had a heart-attack victim aboard. The patient was coughing blood, an ominous indication of congestive heart failure.

The swinging doors of the emergency room open — the rolling stretcher comes through — and the patient sits up, waves and grins and announces, "Gentlemen, I want you to know, I'm your looking at the dandiest looking machine that was ever wheeled into this hospital!"

That was Norman Cousins.

His heart attack and his counter-attack are detailed in a book called "The Healing Heart."

From Cousins' response to two kinds of medical practice, science of medicine has learned much about the "unscientific" triumph of "mind over matter," of how humans can "think their way" into sickness — or out of it.

One day in 1979 a man named Harry Brink was escorted into the Pain Control Center at UCLA insisting that he could control pain



by Paul Harvey

and bleeding while lying on a bed of nails.

Well, now — the distinguished physicians present had seen yoga and vaudeville demonstrations where the bed of nails was so densely fastened and the nails so blunt that no flesh was punctured and nothing of any scientific value demonstrated.

But Harry Brink insisted that he could demonstrate the ability of humans to preside over their own health.

He produced a board two feet by three feet studded with about 50 irregularly spaced sharp nails.

Each extended perhaps an inch and three-quarters from the board.

He lay down on the board. All present could hear the sickening pop of the flesh as the nails penetrated the skin. Witnesses, bending down,

could see little daylight between Harry's back and the board. The nails had penetrated at least an inch.

He lay there for about four minutes with no apparent pain or discomfort.

His eyes closed, he breathed deeply and rhythmically.

Then he rolled off the board and all present could see that his back was peppered with red puncture sites; no bleeding except for a spot on the shoulder where blood was pouring. When this was called to his attention he said, "Thank you" and instantly the blood flow from that wound ceased.

Men of science had seen a man punctured in 50 places not bleeding except in one place, and were reminded, abashed instantly to arrest the flow in that place.

Norman Cousins was among the scholars witnessing this demonstration, reaffirming his own conviction that the life processes which go on inside the human body are, at least to a measure, controllable — for health.

Further proof during our next visit.

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COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

## Plant lured to state, at gigantic cost

To the Editor:

When General Motors chose to locate its new Saturn plant to run in Illinois, we were given requests for further subsidies and special tax breaks. So perhaps Illinois taxpayers will end up paying 80, 90 or even 100 percent of the cost of the Diamond-Star plant.

What Saturn wanted, we argued, is what all other industries considering a move to Illinois want — lower taxes, fairer labor laws, administration, and lower labor costs.

A few weeks later, Chrysler/Mitsubishi announced it would locate the assembly plant of its new joint firm, Diamond-Star, in Bloomington, Illinois (Bloomington, Illinois). Many of the incentives Illinois offered resemble those offered unsuccessfully to GM. Why the strategy work this time?

Chrysler officials know why. The package assembled by Illinois officials contained nearly \$300 million in tax "advantages" and direct subsidies.

Since Chrysler/Mitsubishi's estimated investment in the Diamond-Star plant is \$300 million, the package of tax breaks and subsidies from Illinois amounts to 60 percent of the investment. The package assembled to court GM's Saturn plant was only half as attractive — less than 30 percent of that plant's \$3.5 billion investment.

It looks like short-term tax breaks do attract some big industries into the state, but only if Illinois taxpayers pick up at least 60 percent of the cost.

This arithmetic may actually underestimate the size of Chrysler's package, since the \$300 million package was only the first installment. Chrysler has been promised similar aid to keep the doors of its Belvidere auto plant open next year.

When the subsidies to Diamond-Star and the Belvidere plant begin to run out, what will we give in requests for further subsidies and special tax breaks. So perhaps Illinois taxpayers will end up paying 80, 90 or even 100 percent of the cost of the Diamond-Star plant.

It is a strange sort of reasoning that says that the best way to attract short-term tax breaks and subsidies are an effective strategy for economic development. In fact, they mean something quite different.

The decision by Chrysler/Mitsubishi to locate in Illinois gives the right location, transportation facilities, labor force, and amenities to attract a large manufacturer. And Illinois officials must offer huge tax exemptions and special subsidies to overcome public policies that cripple local industry and discourage business from coming to the state.

Tax exemptions and special subsidies for one or two favored firms inflict further damage on companies already here.

The overwhelming majority of firms in Illinois pay full taxes and receive no subsidies. The cost of Diamond-Star will perpetuate the taxes and policies that needlessly increase the cost of doing business in Illinois.

For 15 years, Illinois' economy has been stagnant. Since 1972, the gross state product has risen only 11 percent per year, this figure is well below the national growth rate of about 2.5 percent per year.

Since 1989, Illinois has lost an incredible 30 percent of its durable and nondurable manufacturing jobs — a loss of nearly half a million jobs. The projected 1985 unemployment rate of 8 percent is the fourth highest rate

in Illinois since 1970. It is projected that unemployment will rise to 11 percent by 1990 in Illinois this year.

For those familiar with this dismal record, the decision to locate the Diamond-Star plant in Illinois may be seen as cause for celebration. Unfortunately, the 2,500 jobs do not begin to recover the state's job losses.

More importantly, the tactics used by Illinois officials do not signal a change of thinking that will point the way to a more prosperous future for the state.

To credits, exemptions, abatements, and rebates by design cannot benefit all businesses equally. For that reason, they are not only of limited effectiveness; they also open the door for a politicization of the entire economic development process.

The effectiveness of Governor Thompson and the officials at the Department of Commerce and Community Affairs could be greatly improved if they did not have to rely on short-term gifts and promises of special treatment.

And the hundreds of thousands of businesses already here in Illinois might perform a little better if they no longer were forced to subsidize companies that compete with them for workers and customers.

Illinois businesses need a large reduction in their relative tax rates and a regulatory climate conducive to their long-term growth.

Long-term economic growth does not make the big headlines that a state like Diamond-Star makes, but for thousands of Illinois businesses it can mean the difference between life and bankruptcy.

SCOTT HODGE

The Heartland Institute

## Christmas - let it be

To the Editor:

In answer to your columnist's question, "Why shouldn't we be in Christ?" I say, "Because it is Christ's birthday, and we all have that special day to celebrate."

As for the Australians being warm in December, if we forget the real reason behind Christmas we will all cease to find out exactly how we want to go.

As for the baking of "fattening things" that seems to go along with the holiday, I'm sure this goes on all year long with birthdays, weddings, etc.

Resolutions to stop smoking, lose weight and stop drinking are not

limited to the New Year; these promises are also made all year long, and ultimately are broken.

Let the children have their snowmen and snowballs for Christ's birthday. I'm sure they would enjoy this much more than a July barbecue in the back yard.

So let's make Christ Number One the year-round and let's join together with family and friends at the church of your choice and give out lots of love — because if Christ carried His own cross to give us a better home to enjoy and to give us much love, I'm sure we can share a little of ours for Him.

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clothes, or even everyday food, unless some of us open our hearts and give to others.

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Spirit of Christmas

**MEN AND WOMEN OF STEEL** cooperated this Christmas to raise more than \$2,100 for the needy and also to directly provide baskets of food, toys and gifts for nine Quad-City families. Participating were the Granite City Steel Women's Club and the division's United Steelworkers, Chemical Workers and salaried staff. Theresa Dickinson, president of the Women's Club, is shown with some of the holiday presents. In addition, several employees helped fill a Christmas "wish list" for a family that has several children; included were toys, clothing and personal items. Many of the families being aided are not associated with GC Steel; examples of help provided are a utility bill payment, air fare for a grandson to visit his ailing grandfather, and grocery purchases. All of the assistance was separate from the \$196,200 gift to the Tri-Cities Area United Way by the Granite City Steel Labor-Management Torch Club.

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## Holten: engagement off

GRANITE CITY — Holten Meats Inc. will not relocate in Granite City.

James Holten, president of the East St. Louis meat packing company, said Friday the move will not occur at this time.

"The engagement's off," Holten said.

In EARLIER discussions, Holten

had referred to his relationship with the city as an engagement, not a marriage.

He decided to reevaluate whether or not to stick out our necks that far by spending that much money," Holten said.

The City Council had approved an inducement letter in September of this year, to issue up to \$2.5 million

in industrial revenue bonds for the relocation.

**FIVE ACRES** in Northgate Industrial Park were being eyed for the move.

The relocation would not have meant any immediate job openings. "It's nothing personal against Granite City," he said. "We just decided not to do anything."

### Blood drive set

A blood drive, sponsored by Quad-City Church Women United, will be conducted on Thursday and Friday, Dec. 26 and 27.

The drive will be at the St. Elizabeth Catholic School cafeteria, Pontoon and Johnson roads. Thursday hours will be from 2 p.m. to 7 p.m. and Friday hours are 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.

This is a time of year when blood is urgently needed, a spokesman for the church women said.

### Cohn elected by Regional Forum

Robert Cohn was elected chairman of the East-West Gateway Coordinating Council's Regional Forum at a meeting Dec. 18. The Regional Forum, a citizen advisory group to the council's board of directors, elected Charles Billups as vice chairman. Both officers will serve one-year terms.

Appointed to two-year terms as Regional Forum members were Robert Allen and Sharon Ross of East St. Louis and Debra Moore of St. Clair County.

Members reappointed to the Regional Forum include John Scarpa and Darby Tally of St. Charles County; the Rev. Arthur Ebeling of Franklin County; Robert Cohn and Jacqueline Niekamp of St. Louis County; and Michael Bingham and Joseph Olszewski of Jefferson County.

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### One Solitary Life

He was born in an obscure village; he worked in a carpenter shop until he was thirty. He then became an itinerant preacher.

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He was only thirty-three when the public turned against him. His friends ran away. He was turned over to his enemies and went through the mockery of a trial. He was nailed to a cross between two thieves. While he was dying, his executioners gambled for his clothing, the only property he had on earth. He was laid in a borrowed grave.

Nineteen centuries have come and gone, and today he is the central figure of the human race. All the armies that have marched, all the navies that ever sailed, all the parliaments that ever sat, and all the kings that ever reigned have not affected the life of man on this earth as much as that.

### ONE SOLITARY LIFE

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**HOLIDAY**  
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## Company impresses GC officials

By SUSAN SIGNAIGO-WEICH  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — A trip taken to lure a Rhode Island plant into making a \$9.3 million expansion here left local officials impressed.

On Wednesday and Thursday, six area officials traveled to Eticam Inc. in Wickham, R.I., to view the operations at the plant. The company uses a German technique to extract precious metals from wastewater.

"The plant was so clean, you could compare it with a hospital," said RC Bush, executive vice president of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce. "I'm confident the plant will be able to meet local EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) standards." Bush said he also was impressed with the modern equipment being used in the facility for the process.

"The floors in the plant are designed so that if a spill occurs, the spill is drained off and pumped back into the system," he said.

In addition, the company's biggest asset to the area would be its ability to let other industries stay in business.

"EPA STANDARDS are very stringent now," he said. "If industry doesn't have a good method of cleaning its wastewater, it may not be able to stay in the area."

That would also bring more industries to the area, he said.

"Other companies that produce industrial wastewater (electroplaters and picklers) will want to be in close proximity to the plant," Bush said. "This is because the big-

### Could mean up to 150 jobs

GRANITE CITY — A proposed plant expansion along with 100 to 150 immediate job openings, has created a spirit of cooperation between Alton and this city.

When Eticam Inc. of Wickham, R.I. announced it was considering building a plant locally, Alton officials, including industrial revenue bonds to help finance the expansion, in addition to the ones being issued by the city here.

RC Bush, executive vice president of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, said he considers Alton's aid cooperative but not said.

"THIS IS NOT AN UNCOMMON PRACTICE," Bush said. "Alton apparently had not committed its bond

gest cost in getting industrial water is the transportation cost."

Bush said things look good for the proposed expansion.

"I THINK THEY (Eticam) realize the market potential Granite City has," he said. "If everything goes well, construction could begin as early as the spring (1986) with the plant opening in September."

The most important step is the issuance of industrial revenue bonds that will allow the company to finance the expansion, Bush said.

The City Council is expected to approve an inducement letter for issuance of the bonds at Thursday

capacity for 1985, and the city stood to lose it."

Bush was referring to a cap placed on industrial revenue bonds by the state.

Since Alton had not committed all of its potential revenue bonds to industrial users, that city used the bond capacity to help Granite City.

GRANITE CITY'S bonding capacity did not come close to meeting the \$9.3 million price tag attached to the Eticam expansion. But Granite City's bonds, combined with Alton's, will be more than enough to finance the project, he said.

"Alton realizes the importance of a project like this for our area," Bush said. "It was a cooperative gesture."

night's meeting.

Another factor the deal depends on is a lengthy permit process for the plant with the EPA, Bush said.

THE COMPANY currently has an option on 6.6 acres of land about two miles south of Headman Steel on Illinois Route 111.

Other officials who attended the plant tour included Alan Orbals, city coordinator, Alderman Paul Fisk, Alderman Lloyd Bailey, Terry Kehelan, supervisor of the city service department, and Bill Elmire, real estate representative for owners of the land at the proposed site.

### • 23rd Street bid OK'd

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Lane and construction of Stratford Lane, joint venture with Nameoki Township.

County Highway 19, Poag Road west to Illinois Route 111, crushed stone or pozzolanic aggregate material.

• Drainage structures at various locations throughout the county.

• Various railroad crossings to be signalized throughout the county.

• Resurfacing various highways throughout the county.

Included in the plan are projects to be initiated in 1986. Those projects include the following:

• County Highway 19, grading on Wanda Road north of Poag Road, Chouteau Township.

• County Highway 19, bridge over Cahokia Canal on Wanda Road, Chouteau Township.

• Resurfacing various highways throughout the county.

• Poag Road extension, Portland

cement concrete pavement, Illinois Route 111 to Illinois Route 3, Chouteau Township.

Joint venture with the Illinois Department of Transportation on resurfacing E. 23rd Street in Granite City.

• Morrison Road railroad crossing and signalization in Nameoki Township.

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**MEMBERSHIP RECRUITER** Joseph Heffery, right, displays certificate he received from the national headquarters of the Disabled American Veterans, known as the Francis J. Beaton Award. Vice-Commander Lawrence McGuire, left, holds another certificate for the membership campaign, awarded to Heffery.

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### • Drive

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### Notice of Closure

A plan to close the Jonsson-Wright Corporation hazardous waste management facilities located in Granite City, has been submitted to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (IEPA) pursuant to Subpart G of 35 Ill. Adm. Code 7225. The site is operated by the Jonsson-Wright Corporation and will continue operations following closure of the hazardous waste management facilities. At this time the IEPA is also requesting that the facility provide information concerning any release of hazardous waste constituents from any solid waste management facility on the site. Interested parties are invited to submit written comments to the IEPA or request modifications of the plan or provide information on the release, at any time, of hazardous waste constituents from the facility prior to the first publication date of this notice. Written comments must be addressed to the IEPA, Government & Community Relations, Attention: Public Notice Clerk, 2200 Churchill Road, Springfield, Illinois 62706.

The site must be closed in accordance with the standards set forth in the Environmental Protection Act, Ill. Rev. Stat., Ch. 111½, Pars. 1001, et seq., and regulations adopted thereunder.

The proposed closure, closure performance requirements, and other documents are available for inspection and may be copied at a cost of 25 cents per page at the IEPA, Springfield headquarters. These documents are also available for inspection and copying at the Collier Environmental Services, 1000 W. Franklin, Suite 100, and Manager, 2009 Main Street, Collinsville 62234 (618/345-4606).

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# Obituaries

## Walter Bauer

Walter A. Bauer, 84, of Rural Route 1, Edwardsville, died at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 21, at Anna Henry Nursing Home in Edwardsville. He had been ill for one month.

Born on May 20, 1901, in Granite City, he resided here before moving to Edwardsville.

Survivors include a son, David Bauer, of Champion; one daughter, Margaret LaBlance of Edwardsville; four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 24, at Weller Funeral Home, 101 N. Main St., Edwardsville, by the Rev. Ray Porter, pastor of St. John's United Methodist Church, Edwardsville.

Burial was at St. John Cemetery, Granite City.

Memorials may be sent to the American Cancer Society or St. John's United Methodist Church.

## George Biggs

George Everett Biggs Jr., 31, of St. Clair, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at 4:41 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 21, 1985, at St. John Mercy Hospital, St. Louis, in an automobile accident.

He was born in Indian Mound, Tenn., and resided here for several years prior to moving to Missouri.

Mr. Biggs worked for J.H. Berra Construction Co. in St. Louis for 14 years, most recently as a foreman. He was of the Baptist faith.

He and his wife, Breda Boyer Biggs, who survives, were married on July 28, 1971, in St. Louis.

Other survivors include a daughter, Breda Michele, and a son, George Everett Biggs III, both at home; one brother, Ricky Lynn Biggs of Nashville, Tenn.; two sisters, Mrs. Bill (Janet) Javeaux and Debbie Biggs, both of Granite City; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman (L.J.) Lillard of Clarksville, Tenn.; and grandparents, Rollie Biggs, Granite City, and Mr. and Mrs. John (Mary) Austin, Clarksville, Tenn.

The Rev. Fred Walker conducted 10 a.m. funeral services Monday, Dec. 23, at Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road. Burial was at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville.

## George Hadaller

George E. Hadaller, 79, of 2508 Cleveland Blvd., died in the emergency room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center at 8:46 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 22, 1985. He had been under medical care.

A 66-year resident of Granite City, he was born in Effingham, Ill. Mr.

Hadaller worked at General Steel Industries for 42 years as a pattern-maker and died in 1979.

Mr. Hadaller was of the Protestant faith and was president of the Railroad Embroider Club.

Survivors include two brothers, Theodore and Walter Hadaller, and four sisters, Kathryn, Josephine, Margaret, Mary, Hamilton and Rosella Hadaller, all of Granite City.

Funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Nick Poplak at 1 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 24, at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave. Burial was at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

## Viva Manes

Mrs. Viva Sue (Cooley) Manes, 98, of Falls Church, Va., formerly of Falls City, died at 11:15 p.m. Friday, Dec. 20, 1985, at Sleepy Hollow Manor in Annandale, Va.

A resident here until 1941 until 1973, Mrs. Manes was formerly employed as a secretary—cashier at Tri-City Grocery Co. in Granite City.

She was born Oct. 2, 1887, in Lexington, Ky.

Mrs. Manes was a member of American Friendship Methodist Church.

Among the survivors are a daughter, Mrs. Marilee Schied of

Falls Church, Va.; a foster daughter, Mrs. Kurt (Patricia) Merz of Troy, Ill.; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, Dec. 23, at Troy United Methodist Church by the Rev. William Cooper. Burial was at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville.

Visitation was Sunday at Laughlin Funeral Home in Troy.

## Evelyn Smith

Mrs. Evelyn M. (Bridges) Smith, 75, of 2307 Winters Drive died at 8:15 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 22, 1985, at The Colonades nursing home, where she resided for the past two months. She had been ill health for two years.

Born on July 28, 1910, in St. Louis, she had lived in Granite City for 20 years. She worked as an assembler for many years at Bussmann Fuse Co. in St. Louis.

Survivors include one daughter, Margaret Mary Catholic Church, the American Association of Retired Persons, More the Merrier, Golden Agers and Retired Senior Volunteers Program.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Alvin Smith.

Survivors include one son, Charles

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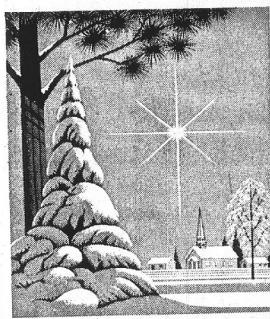
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## Richard Stengel

Richard N. Stengel, 76, of Collinsville, died at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 21, 1985, at Jewish Hospital in St. Louis.

Born in Louisville, Ky., Aug. 13, 1909, he was a retired engineer for Illinois Central Gulf Railroad and was a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo (Jessie B.) Stengel; one sister, Dolly Stengel; and one brother, Leo Stengel.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Kenneth (Joanne) Sandison of Collinsville; one granddaughter, Suzanne Spanholz of O'Fallon, Ill.; and one grandson, Chris Dugger and two great-grandchildren, Andria

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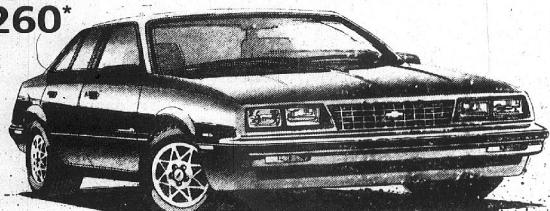
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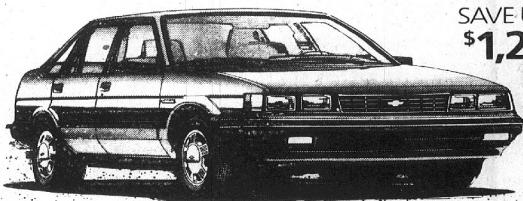
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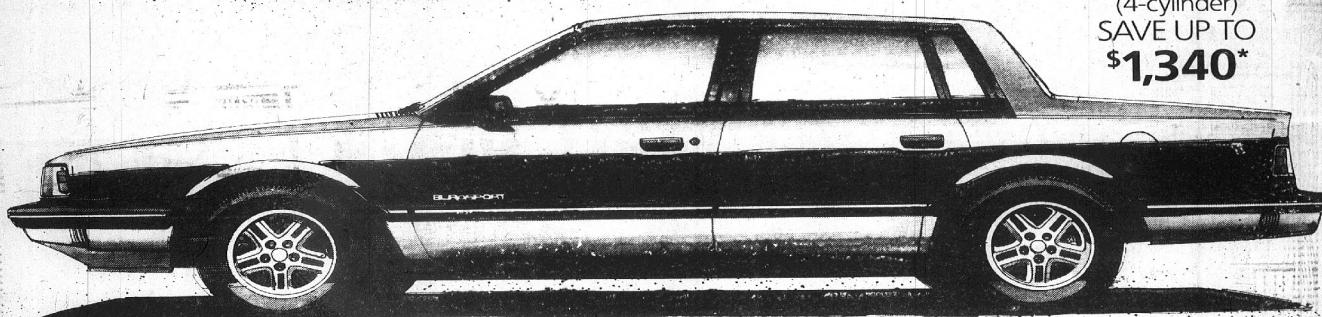
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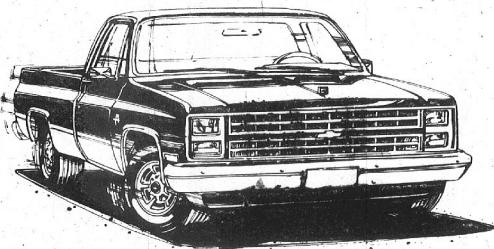


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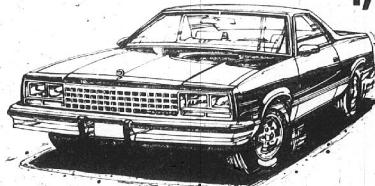


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# Police News

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Policemen honored

**CERTIFICATES OF APPRECIATION** are presented by members of the VFW Post 1300 Auxiliary to two Granite City policemen for their quick work in apprehending a suspect, later charged with home invasion and attempted aggravated criminal sexual assault. Left to right are Junior Vice President Verna Dowdy, Carolyn Weston, senior vice president and chairman of safety, and Patrolman Michael Chosich, Sgt. Steve Willard and Chief of Police Bill Hause.

(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

## TWO MEN HURT IN TWO-AUTO MISHAP ON WILSON

A collision on Wilson Avenue 60 feet east of Nameoki Road at 1:55 a.m. Dec. 21 resulted in injuries to Walter J. Chabouda, 21, of 2325 Ralph Street, living west on Wilson, and a passenger in his auto, Paul Weil, 15, of Garfield Avenue.

Both went to St. Elizabeth Medical Center's emergency room for treatment. Driver of the second vehicle involved, Lonnie J. Bailey, 25, of 2226 Grand Ave. was ticketed for not having a valid driver's license.

## PARKING LOT MISHAPS END IN ARREST FOR DUI

Jack M. Milosevich, 38, of 31 Fairway Estates, Granite City, was driving under the influence of alcohol and driving while his license was revoked Dec. 20 in a rear parking area at 2280 Washington Ave.

A pickup truck operated by Milosevich pulled into a parking lot, striking and struck the rear of a parked auto owned by John W. Stephens of Canton, Mich., and then hit the left rear of a parked pickup truck owned by Richard Lescio, 2260 Washington Ave.

## TIP TOP IS BURGLARIZED

A total of \$733 in tavern receipts and \$50 in lottery money were taken in a burglary at the Tip Top Tavern, 1740 State St., Dec. 20. A door was forced to gain entry to the building.

## CHRISTMAS GIFTS TAKEN

Linda Thebeau of 2248 Lee Ave. reported Dec. 19 a burglar entered her apartment by forcing open a door. Taken were some perfume, a wallet, toys and children's clothing, all wrapped as Christmas presents.

## CHRISTMAS ITEMS TAKEN

A Christmas tree, decorations, tree lights and various decorations were among items taken from a storage locker at the apartment of Peggy Jackson, 2540 Parkview Drive.

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# Community Spotlight

Gabriel Shrine

## Yule party held

The December meeting of Gabriel Shrine '79 - White Shrine of Jerusalem, was a Christmas party, with Worthy High Priestess Edna Brown and Lloyd Lewis presiding.

Past Supreme Worthy High Priestess Ruth Hartsoe was presented and escorted as a guest for the evening.

Others honored were supreme committee members, honorary officers and instructors from Gabriel Shrine, Wood River, Calvary Shrine, Calixta Shrine, Florida Shrine, Shrine of the Woods, Creve Coeur, as well as Gabriel Shrine.

Past worthy high priestesses Kathryn Edmonds, Mary Ann Hart and Dorothy Watkins were

presented, along with past warden of shepherds Albert Vengs and Earl French.

A memorial in remembrance of Cecilia Malotki was given, and those reported ill were Cleveland Cox, John De Hart, Sandy Simpson, Virginia Graham and Nadine Bush. The death of Esther Padden was noted.

A social hour was enjoyed in the dining room, decorated for the holiday season, and a gift exchange was a highlight of the evening.

The chairman of the kitchen committee was Mary Ellen and Lloyd Lewis, Alice and Oco Woods, Helen Schwendemann, Sue Williams, Mary Hoover, Delta Aulabaugh and Edna Brown.

## Military notes



**TIMOTHY NICHOLS**

Air Force Sgt. Timothy P. Nichols, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Nichols of Granite City, was awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal for meritorious service performed while stationed at OL-A at Fort Campbell, Ky.

He is an electronics specialist and currently is assigned as a technician in selector at Chanute AFB in Rantoul, Ill.

Nichols, 27, attended Granite City High School South before entering the Air Force March 30, 1981.

The sergeant is married to the former Lea Ann Reeves, daughter of Mrs. Ann Reeves of Granite City. The couple has two sons, Benjamin, 9 years, and Christopher, 4 years old.

**E.C. ADAMS**

Marine Pvt. E.C. Adams, son of Carolyn J. Adams, 2308 Wilson Ave., has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot in San Diego.

During the 11-week training cycle, Adams learned the basics of battlefield survival. He was introduced to the typical daily routine that he will experience during his enlistment and studied the personal and professional standards traditionally exhibited by Marines.

Adams participated in an active physical conditioning program and gained proficiency in a variety of military skills, including first aid, rifle marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat, drill team work and self-discipline were emphasized throughout the training cycle.

Adams is a 1984 graduate of Granite City High School.

**LARRY SCHLEICHER**

Army Sgt. Larry W. Schleicher, son of Michael C. Schleicher, 330 Bluebird Lane, and Carol S. Schleicher of Troy, Ill., has arrived for duty with the 6th Field Artillery Brigade in West Point, N.Y.

Schleicher, a security supervisor, was previously assigned at Fort Polk, La.

His wife, Sharon, is the daughter of Billie Bennett of Lakeside.

Schleicher is a 1980 graduate of Northwest Missouri State University, Maryville.

**MICHAEL GAINES**

Michael Gaines, 2809 Wilson Ave., has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the U.S. Air Force upon graduation from Officer Training School, Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

The 12-week course trained selected students to adapt to a highly communicative skills, professional knowledge, leadership and management in positions of responsibility.

Gaines will now be assigned at Homestead Air Force Base, Fla.

His wife, Sandra, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester (Evelyn) Seeger of Hilton, N.Y.

The lieutenant is a 1984 graduate of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

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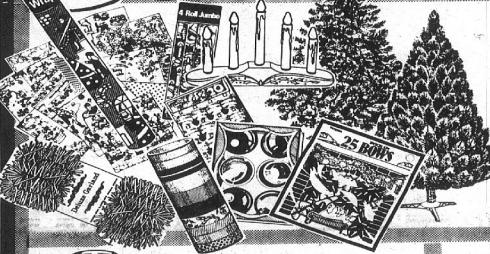
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## Church news

By DONNA KIMBRO  
Staff writer

**THE FRIENDLY CIRCLE CLASS** of Dealey Avenue United Methodist Church held a New Year's party at the home of Evelyn Hamilton.

The Rev. Vernon Brown, church pastor, offered prayer and President Evelyn Thompson conducted a business meeting.

Attendance was 20, and members agreed to send donations to the Methodist Children's Home and to the White Christmas fund of the church, and to deliver gifts to shut-ins.

Attending were Tennie Webb, Lora Hancock, Virgie Settle, Elsie Byrd, Mille Sherman, George Goleman, Fern San Soucie, Mary Davis, Mayme Waggoner, Mary Hanfeler, Lucy Testerman and guests, Gladys Potillo and Mary Bunn.

Bunn, a teacher, Mrs. Settle, entertained the group for a luncheon meeting the following week.

Attending were Madora Shaw, Evelyn Hamilton, Mille Sherman, Lucy Testerman, Elsie Byrd, and Mrs. Settle.

Mayme Waggoner, Evelyn Thompson and Mary Hanfeler.

**THE AFTERNOON CIRCLE** of First Presbyterian Church met at the church for its holiday party and donated \$45 to the layette project of Church Women United in lieu of a gift exchange.

Hostesses were Mesdames Bass, Helen Virginia Johnson, Paula Egan, Shirley Lee Beger and Louise Mull. Dee Roberts gave the invocation, and introduced five guests. Mesdames Burdine Holtzschre, president of the Presbyterian Women, Betty Schellhardt, acting president, and Shirley Lane, Helen Takkman and Mirella Fanning.

Games were played after a luncheon and everyone received a prize. Others attending were Mesdames Chappell, Paula Egan, Irene Gray, Mary Hagan, Alvina Malmberg, Corrine McCollum, Mildred Meek, Ruth Moore, Gladys Pape, Melba Wade, Anna Mae Wetton and Mary Wilkins.

### Social notes

By DONNA KIMBRO  
Staff writer

**AMERICAN LEGION** Post 113 and Auxiliary Unit 113 members visited the John Cochran Veterans Hospital in St. Louis for a Christmas social last week.

They distributed gifts to the patients, served dessert and coffee while there.

Attending the event were Bill and Katie Barks, Gene and Maxine Bradtke, Jim and Virginia Egan, Dave Eckert, V.I. Kamenski, Shirley Kowalk, Peggy Webb, Vince Kowalk, Vicki Bogerstaff and daughter, Sara, who is a member of the Junior Girls Aux.

**A CHRISTMAS PARTY** for members of the Noon Day Opti-Mrs Club was held at Charlie's Restaurant, hosted by Mesdames

Dave Giese, Norman Hall, Harry Odum and Elmer Branding.

Mrs. Giese gave the invocation and Mrs. Victor Anderson conducted a business session.

Mrs. Harold Fischer was accorded honors for her birthday this month. The Optimist Club invited the members to attend its holiday luncheon.

The group signed a greeting card to be sent with a gift to Kathryn Burns, a student nurse sponsored by the club.

Prize winners were Mesdames David John, John Kirchoff, Alfred Pape, Harold Fischer and Elmer Branding. A gift exchange was held. Others present were Mesdames Maurice Dailey, Wilbert Engleke, Linda Engleke, Douglas Little, Lawrence McCauley, Larry Melvin, B.C. O'Neill, David Parrish and Wallace Wyman.

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### New Year's Eve party planned

An areawide New Year's Eve party has been planned for Tuesday, Dec. 30, at 10 p.m. The party, to be held at the Granite City Township Center, 2060 Delmar Ave., is open to all the public aged 12 years and older.

There is a \$5 charge per person for the New Year's event, entitling the purchaser to participate in all of the

evening's activities, including food and drinks, games and entertainment provided by the local band, Obadiah.

The late-night event is being planned by local churches. Questions and ticket requests are being directed to the Rev. Mark Maynard at 931-4090. Tickets will also be sold at the door.

### Births

Births at St. Elizabeth Medical Center include:

—Gina

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Pacatka, 2943 Marshall Ave., Dec. 18, Jessica Lynn, 7 pounds, 9 ounces.

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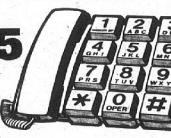
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## On board activities keep a cruise ship's passengers hopping

What can one possibly find to do on a cruise ship for 10 whole days? Answer: Plenty! In fact, no one can possibly do everything that's available without dropping from sheer exhaustion.

Even the most sumptuous food offerings can be a 24-hour a day endeavor, if you require something a bit more challenging, how about water volleyball - in deep water?

Volleyball, basketball, shuffleboard and ping pong tournaments provide excitement for the competitive set, while athletic types who'd rather set their own pace can opt for aerobics classes and mile-walks every day, jogging on deck, fully equipped gym and sauna, and, for when you finish with all that, a massage.

For the less active set, there are bridge lectures and tournaments, trivia tourney, bingo and gin rummy contests. There are also special presentations on topics ranging from creative mazkin folding to grandma's bragging party to lectures on upcoming ports of call.

Or maybe you'd just like to relax with a good book from the Fairwind library, splash in one of three swimming pools or take a nap in your luxuriously large stateroom.

Don't sleep too long - there's a popular movie at the cinema, there's musical afternoon tea with some great piano sounds, and the chic, duty-free shipboard shops are beckoning with bargains.

When the tropical sun slips below the horizon, the activity really heats up. Sitmar's brand new \$1,000,000 Treasure Quest game show is open to all passengers, giving them the chance to win money and prizes, entertainment and more. Lounge, run the gamut from musical revues and comedians to instrumentalists, magicians, singers and well-known entertainers.

For the thrill seekers' there's an action-packed casino, plus horse racing excitement in the main lounge.

Top it all off with a margarita or pina colada at the ship's night club, where you can dance until the

wee hours of the morning as a DJ spins the latest records.

For the small set, there's a fully staffed, fully equipped Youth Center, with enough activities to keep toddlers to teens on their toes. A

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# Around the kitchen

## Festive sweet breads fine for flavoring holidays

Breadmaking is a passion for many cooks. Men and women, young and old, enjoy making yeast breads for their own consumption or for holiday gifts.

During the holiday season, breads shaped in unusual ways can decorate a table.

Braided Wreath Bread is flavored with dairy egg nog and nuggets of candied cherries, raisins and lemon peel. It can be topped with a confectioner's sugar glaze made with egg nog or brushed with an egg yolk glaze. For use as a centerpiece, the wreath can be decorated with a ribbon bow.

Clusters of butter-rich yeast dough, accented with cinnamon, pecans and raisins, can be baked in a single Pull Apart. The coffee cake can be decorated and served on a platter for a holiday brunch or the family's New Year's breakfast.

Dairy egg nog can be used as a baking ingredient or as an accompaniment to those freshly baked breads.

### Wreath bread

2 pkg. dry yeast  
1/2 cup warm water (105°-115°)  
1/2 cup dairy egg nog  
1/2 cup butter  
1/2 cup sugar  
1/2 tsp. salt  
3 to 3 1/2 cups flour  
1 egg  
1/2 cup chopped candied cherries  
1/2 cup golden raisins  
2 tsp. grated lemon peel

Dissolve yeast in warm water. Heat egg nog, butter, sugar and salt until warm. Combine 1 1/2 cups flour, yeast mixture and egg nog mixture in a large mixing bowl; mix thoroughly.

Add egg nog, cherries, raisins, lemon peel and enough remaining flour to make a soft dough. Knead on lightly floured surface until smooth and satiny, about 10 minutes.

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1/2 cup sugar  
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1/2 cup chopped pecans  
1 egg  
1/2 cup cinnamon  
1/2 cup Milk  
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## Trojans miss chances; Devils survive in OT

By DAVE WHALEY  
Staff writer

**• MADISON** — The two coaches told a story. Clinton Harris strolled contentedly across the gymnasium floor while Rodney Watson paced around in his office like a caged lion.

"It didn't take a genius to figure out that Harris' Red Devils had slipped by Watson's Madison Trojans, 55-53, in an overtime thriller," the story ran. "The Trojans were 'not there yet,' Watson said. 'We turned the ball over too much and you can't do that in this caliber of basketball.'

A screaming, capacity crowd had just witnessed 35 minutes of high emotion as the host Venice at 5-1 with its fourth win in a row. The Trojans lost their second in a row and are 4-3.

"We came in here figuring it was go down to the wire," Harris said. "Madison has a real good team, but we put it in the players' heads that we could come in on their home ground and come in."

They got it, but not without some drama. Venice led throughout most of the middle part of the game before falling behind, 44-42, when Chandler Terrell stole the ball and

got a layup with six minutes left in the fourth quarter.

Eric Jacks, Madison's 6-6 center who led the Trojans with 25 points and 14 rebounds, hit a turnaround jumper to put the home team up by 4 points, but Venice hung tough.

Ed Ware hit a basket to cut the margin to 46-44, but Madison

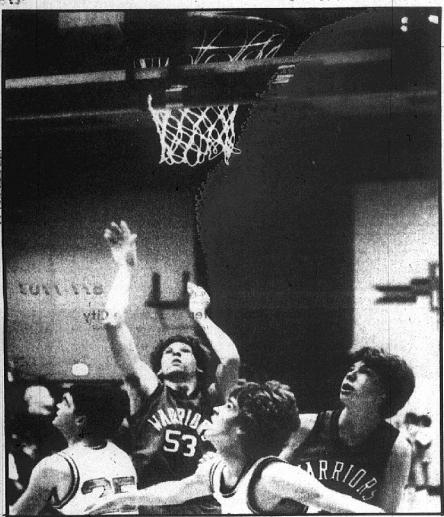
blew two chances to wrap the game up. Jacks travelled, then Anthony Valentine made a steal but the Trojans lost the ball out of bounds with 90 seconds left.

The Devils then turned to their main man, 6-4 junior forward Jesse Hall, who had 26 points. Hall tied the game with a soft jumper. Jacks countered with a stuff at the other end to give Madison a 50-48 lead. But Hall hit again, 50-50.

The Trojans then had their best opportunity to win. They ran the clock down to 4 seconds and called timeout. The ball was inbounded to forward Reggie Young, whose desperation shot from the baseline sealed the game at 55-53.

The Trojans were 70 feet away with two seconds left, but they almost pulled it off. Valentine hit Young at the free throw line, and Reggie spun and put the shot up.

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**HIGH-POINT MAN** Chris Viezer (53) of Granite City goes up for two of his 24 points in Friday's win over Belleville East. (Staff photo by Gary King)

## Warriors stay hot

By GARY KING  
Staff writer

**BELLEVILLE** — The Granite City basketball team entered this 85-86 campaign with something to prove.

Due to the loss of four of last year's starters to graduation, coach Don Deterring thought that this would be a rebuilding year for the Warrior program.

In order to win the Warriors needed a David-like performance out of their Goliath, and that had stagnated in his last three starts.

While Viezer might not have shamed East's Goliath, he neutralized him by putting on a little show of his own.

Viezer lessened the impact of Volkman's 25 points by pouring in 24 of his own en route to Granite City's seventh straight win of the young season.

Before the Lancers had a chance to break sweat, the local five had scored to unanswered points to open the contest. Behind some nifty outside shooting, and tenacious, unyielding defense, the Warriors held a 16-point lead at the end of the first quarter.

East opened the second quarter by rattling off eight straight points, which cut the Warrior advantage to

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Venice called timeout. Young missed the first one. Venice called timeout again, then Young missed the second one.

Did the timeouts "freeze" Young?

"That doesn't make any difference," Watson said. "That's Dick Vitale's idea. It doesn't win or lose games."

Ware, who ended up with 10 points, hit an 18-foot rainbow to put Venice up a minute into the three-minute overtime. Hall rebounded a missed Valentine shot and went the length of the court to another 15-footer to make it 55-53.

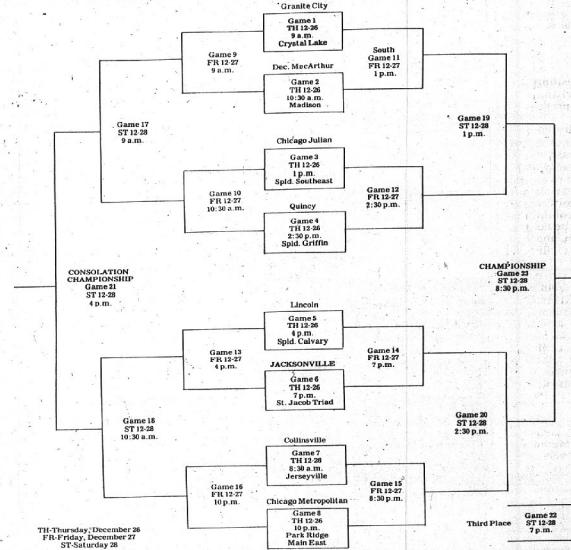
Jacks hit two free throws with one minute left, then Hall dribbled the ball off his foot out of bounds.

Young hit a 15-foot jumper. Jacks rebounded and was fouled with 40 seconds left. But he made only one of two free throws. Madison fouled three times before Venice went into the bonus situation, when Judkins Kizana hit a free throw with two seconds left to make it 55-53.

The Trojans were 70 feet away with two seconds left, but they almost pulled it off. Valentine hit Young at the free throw line, and Reggie spun and put the shot up.

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## Collinsville Holiday Tournament



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## Wrestlers still rolling; Holiday tourney is next

By GREGG OCHOA  
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HOUSE SPRINGS — The Warrior wrestling team will break camp at Christmas having already found some presents in their stockings.

Granite City continued to pile up the wins, capturing first place in the tournament Saturday afternoon. The weekend. The win upped the Warriors' record to 8-0 as they prepare for the annual Holiday Tournament.

The Warriors' tourney will begin Friday and continue Saturday. Two sessions will be held each day beginning at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Championship matches will be held Saturday night.

The tournament features quality competition from both sides of the Mississippi River. Traditionally individuals and teams who do well at Granite City also fare well in the state's respective district and regional competitions.

"I know in talking to some of the Missouri coaches they really try to point to this meet," said Granite City Coach Walt Whitaker. "So we're."

Some of the teams entered in the field include: Belleville East, Roxana, Civic Memorial and Triad. Missouri schools participating in class A, B and Central and River view Gardens.

Roxana won the team title last year, breaking a streak of 13 straight championships held by either Riverview Gardens or Granite City.

At House Springs, the Warriors

dominated the meet, scoring 138 points. St. Charles was second with 123 points. House Springs was third (69) and Farmington was fourth (52) points.

Granite City wrestlers captured seven of the 12 individual weight classes as the Warriors won the team title.

Other winners were Brent Davis (99), Gary Mann (112), Brett Garner (119), Tracy Morrison (126), Chuck Sparks (132), Dennis Gabriel (145) and Mike Fenoglio (155).

Granite City also got second place finishers from Jon Morgan (108), Chris Grier (105) and Ross Karsbarski (HWT).

The victory at House Springs was the second consecutive triumph for the Warriors in that quad meet.

Granite City had won the meet by thrashing Belleville West last Friday, 46-12, in a dual meet. It was Granite City's first Southwest Conference victory.

Prior to this, the Warriors had been idle since pounding Jerseyville Dec. 1. A regional match against East St. Louis had to be cancelled due to some internal problems at East St. Louis.

"We didn't take a forfeit because we hoped to still get that one in," Whitaker said.

So the only action the Warriors saw was in the wrestling room.

"I thought it would bother us," Whitaker said of the layoff. "But the kids responded well. They worked hard in practice."

"We were able to get some good competition in the wrestling room,

but I was sort of surprised that we had that many wins," Whitaker said.

Granite City's toughest challenge came from St. Charles, not from the host Northwest team as expected.

House Springs, which won the Missouri team title two years ago, finished third.

St. Charles scored just 64 points at House Springs, but placed second Saturday.

"They had a lot of kids back and had a tough team," Whitaker said.

The Warriors shuffled their lineup over the weekend to get more wrestling experience.

"Everybody from 112 to 138 (pounds) came down a weight," Whitaker said. That allowed the Warrior coach to plug Jon Morgan from 108 and Chuck Sparks from 132. Freshman Chuck Sparks had been wrestling at 138 but he moved up to 132 pounds for the meet.

The movement obviously didn't affect the flow of things as the Warriors had a solid regional record.

After Christmas, the Warriors will point towards the Holiday tournament, the 23rd year the tourney has been held.

Team scores will be tabulated based on the performances of individual wrestlers.

"In this kind of tournament you don't have to have a well-balanced dual meet team to do well," Whitaker said. "The points are usually spread out. We're really up for that one."

Wrestlers were not seeded for this weekend's tournament. Opponents will be chosen by a blind draw.

## Warriors

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20-14. The Warriors answered the Lancers threat by exploding for a 16-2 run, with Tim Hogan and Vlezer contributing six points each, to give Granite City a 40-25 lead at the end of the first half.

"I played well up to the one minute mark of the first half. From there we made some bad passes, and some dumb fouls. We caused our own problems," Deterding said.

"I have to say that we hurt ourselves more than we helped us. But I'd say that the score indicated the toughness of our opponent."

"I was very satisfied with the play of Vlezer. He's been pushing too hard the past few games, and he has been down mentally. He's really played a solid defensive game. Overall, he did a super job of getting the ball to him, I don't want to take away from them. I think Joe Gray, Timmy Hogan, and Vlezer played very well tonight," said Deterding.

A man in the crowd, and satisfied Vlezer gave all the credit of his victory to Deterding.

"I knew that Volkman would be tough, and I had been struggling the last three games, so I was really up for that one," Coach Deterding said. "He did a good job, he really has shown a lot of confidence in me, and that's what made the difference," said Vlezer.

The Warriors will lay their perfect mark on the Holiday morning when they face Crystal Lake in the regional tournament.

GRANITE CITY: 20 18 17 16-26  
GRANITE CITY EAST: 12 19 20 24-69  
GRANITE CITY: Gray, 10, T. Hogan, 21, Vlezer 24 (7 rebounds), Taylor 7, J. Hogan 13  
BELLEVILLE EAST: Meshling 6, Boeschen 8, Volkman 25, Rickett 14, Barnes 10, Abel 12

## Red Devils

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hung on the rim for a second, but fell off, and the small but boisterous Venice rooting section went wild.

"It just shows the great athletic ability of Anthony and Reggie that we were able to get that shot off," Watson said. "It just didn't fall for us."

"That was a mistake on our part that they were able to make that play," Harris said. "Fortunately, it worked out for us. We made some crucial turnovers when it was 54-50 and got them back in it."

Harris said the games with Madison are looked at as just another regular season game for his team.

"What really matters is the regional," he said. "Of course, if we had lost, it would have given them an edge there."

The edge on Friday belonged to the Red Devils, thanks mainly to the play of Meshling, who scored 21 points and held the ball up the court. Early in the third quarter, he glided to the basket and drove home a thundering slam, but was called for charging. Later, he followed a missed shot by Kizette with another big shot.

"It was fantastic," Harris said. "He really helped us through this game. He's still got some things to work on but he's a junior. I'll still have him next year."

"No question he's a great player," Watson said. "He makes the difference."

A small difference, though. The

two teams are evenly-matched as is obvious from the closeness of the game.

"When we're battling like this, we have to capitalize on our breaks, and we didn't do that," Watson said. "It's tough when you have five seniors on the floor and you turn the ball over. You have to turn it over 10 percent and that's positive."

The heartbreaking loss should not hurt the Trojans as they prepare for the Collinsville Holiday Tournament this weekend.

"Kids aren't like coaches," Watson said. "They're not going to get over it. If we do a good job of it, and if we're able to shake it off and think about Decatur MacArthur (the first round opponent at 10:30 a.m. Thursday at the Fletcher Gymnasium in Collinsville)."

Madison was 0-6 for the floor in overtime, but still had a 5-1 record for the game. They also made only 5-13 free throws. Venice was 21-48 (44 percent) and they made their only two shots in overtime. The Red Devils were also 13-17 from the free throw line.

Venice plays Thursday at 1 p.m. in the Columbia-Freebase Tournament in Columbia. The opponent is Cardinal Ritter.

SCORING  
VENICE 12 13 12 12 43  
MADISON 12 13 12 14 43

VENICE: Hall, 26, Kizette, 12, Wren, 10.

MADISON: Jackson, 12, Johnson, 14, Veneczel, 10, Terrell, 6, Young, 10, Johnson 2, McCormick, 2, FG 24, FT 14.

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